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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
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11 ESTATE OF OLIVIA CONTRERA, et al.,
12 Plaintiff,
13 vs.
14 FORD MOTOR COMPANY, et al,
15 Defendant.

CASE NO. 07cv1236-LAB (WMc)
ORDER

16 On August 20, 2007, a telephonic Early Neutral Evaluation Conference was held in the
17 above captioned case. Participating were Jim Mitchell, Esq.(counsel for plaintiff) and Rob
18 Shields, Esq.(counsel for defendant). After being advised by counsel of the status of the case, the
19 Court issues the following Order:

20 1. No destructive testing allowed until a protocol is agreed upon and made an order of the
21 Court.

22 2 . Plaintiff shall be deposed with the assistance of a Spanish language interpreter. The
23 parties must agree upon one interpreter to translate relevant documents and attend depositions.
24 Both parties must use the same interpreter.

25 3. On or before November 28, 2007, an independent medical exam must be conducted to
26 determine: 1) whether plaintiff is competent to submit to a deposition; and 2) the reasonable
27 accommodations required to complete plaintiff's deposition.

28 4. The Rule 26(f) conference shall be completed before *October 22, 2007*;

